



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of: **OHMORI, Kenji et al.**

Group Art Unit: 1773

Serial No.: **09/963,674**

Examiner: **D. S. Nakarani**

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FOR: **HIGHLY WEATHER-RESISTANT MAGNET POWDER AND MAGNET PRODUCED BY USING THE SAME**

AMENDMENT UNDER 37 CFR §1.111

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

December 16, 2004

Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated **September 17, 2004**, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 6 of this paper.